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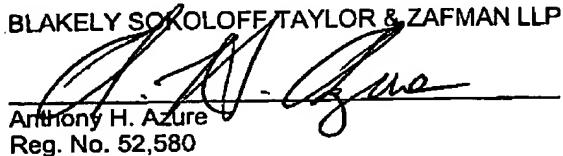
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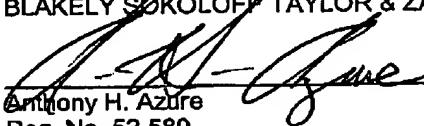
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In response to the final Office Action mailed April 28, 2004, the Applicant requests
 the Examiner to enter the following amendments and to consider the following remarks.

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